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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO  
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
JEL/31040

In Re Application Of: **Jose FEDIDA**

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Invention: **STRUCTURE OF A PROSTHESIS INTENDED TO BE IMPLANTED IN A HUMAN OR ANIMAL  
PASSAGE AND PROSTHESIS WITH SUCH A STRUCTURE**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **February 13, 2003** finally rejecting Claim(s) **18, 19, 21-30 and 32- 40**

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